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Mr. GREEN,

WE the Subſcribers, whoſe Capture in the Bay of *Cheſapeak*, and ill Treatment by a Fellow-Priſoner, as alſo the Capture and ill Treatment of Mr. *Ebenezer Mackie*, a Fellow-Paſſenger and Sufferer, now at *Savannah* in *Georgia*, were the Subject of a Letter in the *Virginia* Gazette, *Auguſt* 13th, which Letter rendered neceſſary ſome ſpecious Vindication of the Conduct of the Perſon therein complained of, and accordingly, two or three equivocal Affidavits being publiſhed in the *Pennſylvania* Gazette, *September* 16th, have thought ourſelves called upon to give a more exact, full, and formal Account of the Matter, than is contained in the aforeſaid Letter, which was Written by a Friend, upon Memory, from a crude oral Relation of the Facts, and whoſe Reſentment was provoked to give an indignant Colouring to the Story, which, however, will appear not to be unmerited.—We were taken on the 27th of *July* in the Schooner *Peggy* of *Portſmouth*, Capt. *William Grimes*, from *Hampton* Road in *Virginia*, bound for *Oxford* in *Maryland*, laden with Dry Goods, by a *French* Privateer Sloop, called the *Mariane*, of Eight Carriage and Twelve Swivel Guns, and Seventy-five Men, belonging to *Cape François*, *Don Pedro Ordogner*, Commander. Mr. *Baird* calls the Privateer *Spaniſh*; the Captain was a *Spaniard*, but the Sloop belonged to *Cape Francis*.

On board the Privateer we found this ſame *John Baird*, late Maſter of a Veſſel from *Wilmington*, and two of his Hands, who had been taken ſome Time before; alſo two Negroes, whom the Privateer had picked up in the Bay, in a ſmall Schooner-Boat.

On the 29th of the ſame Month, the Privateer and Prize put to Sea through the Channel of Cape *Charles*, and *Don Pedro* gave Captain *Baird*, for the Uſe of the Priſoners he intended to put on Shore, the Boat, out of which he had taken the two Negroes: And here we ſhall examine the Oaths of Mr. *Baird*, and his two Hands, *Michael* and *Hugh Lecroy*, his Brothers-in-Law.

John Baird hath made Oath, that, "*from his* "*leaving the Privateer*, until his parting with us, "he never mentioned, or heard mentioned, a "Word about Inſurance." An Oath ſhould be free from Equivocation, or mental Reſervation; he ſays, "FROM HIS LEAVING THE PRIVATEER," any Mention of Inſurance from that Time would be ſuperfluous and in vain; his Overtures on that Head, had already been rejected with Diſdain, while *on board* the Privateer. The Oaths of the *Lecroys* are equally equivocal; for although it may be true that they heard no Mention of Inſurance, yet their Oath is ambiguous, in as much as they do not ſay from what Time they were conſtantly in our Company.

Theſe Men in the Night, while we were on board the Privateer, were confined to the Hold; Mr. *Baird* and we had the Liberty of the Cabin, and walking the Quarter-Deck.——Some imagine to Swear firſt and unaſked, ſhall ſuperſede all further Inquiry; but we apprehend Purgatives will not anſwer the Intention in this Caſe: Sleep and Silence might have relieved them, but they have now plunged themſelves over Head and Ears, adding Conviction to Guilt.

For, be it known, that Captain *Baird*, while on board the Privateer, did ſeveral Times deſire us, when we ſhould get on Shore, not to mention his being Taken; for that he intended to ſtay ſome Time at *Chincoteague* Iſland, where he expected to meet with his own Sloop, that his Owners might make Inſurance; which they might be induced to, upon hearing of a Privateer on the Coaſt.

Moreover, Captain *Baird* recommended to Mr. *Mackie*, a Scheme of a deeper Dye; which was, that he, *E. M.* ſhould immediately on his Landing, write to the principal Owners of the Goods in *Glaſgow*, inſiſting, that they ſhould Inſure from *Hampton* in *Virginia*, to *Oxford* in *Maryland*; adding, that the Owners could thereby intend no Fraud, becauſe he, *E. M.* ſhould keep them in the Dark, in regard to the Situation of their Affairs, and inſiſt they ſhould Inſure, without aſſigning any Reaſon.—He who can counſel the Perpetration of a Fraud for the Intereſt of another not connected with him, will doubtleſs be leſs ſcrupulous where his own Intereſt, or that of his Friend is concerned.—Mr. *Baird* and his Friends Manner of ſetting forth his Civilities to us, are alike vague and equivocal, which, inſtead of tranſcribing ſo much of the Affidavits, and anſwering ſententiouſly, we will content ourſelves with giving a true Account of, which may be compared with the Affidavits, to which we refer.——Before we quitted the Privateer, Mr. *Baird* was extremely ſollicitous to perſuade us to take an old Flat, which was taken with the Schooner, and inſiſted on the Practicability of our rowing her on Shore to Cape *Charles*; but we as conſtantly refuſed it; nor do we think it poſſible to have ſaved ourſelves, had we even been able to row her to Land, as it was in the Night when we were to be turned adrift, when we could not pretend to ſteer for a Harbour, and the Surge ran very high. But this Scheme of getting a ſhore was baffled without the Neceſſity of our further Oppoſition; for the Flat having broke her Tow-Rope, *Don Pedro* did not think worth while bringing the Privateer to for her. Upon this, *Don Pedro* told us, we ſhould go along with Capt. *Baird*, and added, he would give him a Charge concerning us; and accordingly ordered all the Priſoners, except the two Negroes, into the Schooner-Boat, when about five Leagues to the Eaſtward of Cape *Charles*.

Sometime after parting with the Privateer, we fell in with three Sail of Veſſels, one of them carrying a Light at her Mizzen Peak, and the others ſeemingly under her Convoy, which we wanted to ſpeak with; but Mr. *Baird* would not ſuffer us. He would not allow us to hail even one of the Merchantmen, from whom no Danger of Preſſing could be reaſonably apprehended; but lowered his Sails down until he thought he was out of Danger of being ſeen by them.

The Subterfuge of the Riſk of the Schooner being daſhed to Pieces, ſhould ſhe be ordered along Side, is ridiculous, and proving too much; could we believe they would inſiſt on putting us in a Situation ſo dangerous? We only wanted to ſpeak to them, which might probably have been attended with happy Conſequences, the taking of the Privateer, and Recovery of the Prize; for as they had parted from us but a few Hours, we could have directed the Man of War to them; beſides, we might be put in Circumſtances of more Security as to Proviſions, *&c.*—What Mr. *Baird* and his Men ſay of Compulſion, is likewiſe evaſive; 'tis true, the generous Reſentment of the Gentleman whoſe Letter was inſerted in the *Virginia* Gazette, led him into ſome little Error; his Letter was couched in Terms adequate to the Idea he had conceived of the Story told him: We confeſs, there was no poſitive Compulſion to row; but a negative Compulſion in our Caſe, was Tantamount. For as Mr. *Baird* had uſed us in a rough, imperious Manner, with indecent Language, to parly or capitulate might be dangerous; therefore Compulſion in Form was unneceſſary: We were all alike Priſoners, although in different Circumſtances; it was doubtleſs our Duty, in the Situation we were in, to aſſiſt all we could; but it ſhould be without Tyranny, Curſing, Damning, *&c.* "*What Buſineſs have you upon Deck*, G—d "d——n *you, why don't you get down into the* "*Hold.*" This Artillery was particularly levelled at *J. Glaſſell*, for preſſing him to hail the Ships; but this was only the Prelude to the Muſic which was to follow; he grew more wrathful and violent the next Day, when we came to row in Concert, loading us with Imprecations and Execrations, for our Awkwardneſs at our Duty.

We will alſo do Mr. *Baird* Juſtice in regard to what was ſaid to his refuſing us Victuals. It was natural for the Writer of the Letter, to turn this Circumſtance to his Prejudice, of whoſe Treatment we had given him a pathetick Relation, ſince we told him at the ſame time how we were as to Proviſions.—We had ſuch as he had, it was not his Fault we were pinched in that Article; unleſs the Terror of his Behaviour had any Effect on our Freedom and Familiarity.

We think we have made a ſufficient Apology for the Miſtakes in that Gentleman's Letter, written in a Hurry, and at the ſame Time as much as we can fairly ſay in Juſtification of Mr. *Baird*.—

Upon the Whole, from our Leaving the Privateer, to our Parting with Captain *Baird*, let any one judge, whether we could, during ſuch Treatment, be upon Terms favourable for him to propoſe entering into any Colluſion with him, in reſpect to Inſurance; and how artful and cautious he has been, to ſingle out that Period of Time, to which he has limited his Affidavit. But whether this will anſwer his Purpoſe, let Mr. M'*Kinly*, and the other Vouchers to his Character, determine.—To conclude, although irritated by our great Loſs and Captivity, as well as by the ſurly and ſcandalous Behaviour of Captain *Baird*, we had contented ourſelves with condoling one another, reciting a ſimple verbal Relation of our Misfortunes, which were aggravated by the Inſolence of a Fellow-Sufferer, if he was in Reality ſo a Sufferer, 'till our Indignation was rouſed a freſh by this Cluſter of Affidavits in the *Pennſylvania* Gazette, in ſome Sort recriminating upon us, as Traducers of the Character of an honeſt Man.—A Crime in our Eyes as deteſtable as Perjury itſelf.

This, *Sir*, if you will inſert in your next Gazette, you will do Juſtice to Mr. *Baird*, as well as to

Your Humble Servants,
JOHN GLASSELL,
PATRICK M'CAULL.

LONDON, *Auguſt* 7.

BY the Account we have lately given of the Emperors, &c. of Ruſſia, it appears that there have been no leſs than Eight in the Space of 41 Years, which, upon an Average for the Seven that are ended, is about 6 Years to each Reign.—The great Sir Iſaac Newton, in his incomparable Book of Chronology, reckons, that in moſt Kingdoms the Reigns of the ſeveral Kings amounted to about 20 Years each; which Obſervation will hold good, if the reſpective Reigns of the Kings of England, from William the Conqueror, to the Demiſe of the late King, are examined by the above Rule. The comparative Shortneſs of the Reigns in Ruſſia is a plain Indication of a Government not yet properly eſtabliſhed.

Auguſt 19. The late Revolution in Ruſſia is conſidered by many People as a Conſequence of the Scheme formed in the Reign of the Empreſs Elizabeth to defeat the late Czar's Succeſſion to the Crown, who now appears to have been the more unhappy, as he might have been choſen Succeſſor to the late King of Sweden, and have quietly ſat on the Throne of that Kingdom for ſeveral Years paſt, had not the Czarina his Aunt called him to the Succeſſion of the Ruſſian Empire.

It remains to be ſeen what Meaſures the preſent Czarina will take to conciliate the Affections of the Ruſſians, and overcome the Prejudices that muſt naturally ariſe againſt her as a Foreigner, that hath not a Drop of the Royal Blood of the Ruſſian Czars in her Veins; the placing of her on the Throne being the Choice of a new Line; juſt as it would have been, had the People of England, diſcovering Queen Anne's Propenſity to liſten to the Suggeſtions of Mrs. Hill, afterwards Maſham, and her Prompters, dethroned that Princeſs, and proclaimed Prince George of Denmark King of Great Britain. That the preſent Czarina is not a true Muſcovite Woman is very certain, if the Account given by Davity of the Manners of the Sex in that Country ſtill holds good. "Many have reported (ſays he) "that the Muſcovites Wives did ſome-"times weep and complain bitterly of their Huſ-"bands, if they did not beat them often; be-"lieving that they did not love them, for that

" they ſhewed no Effects of Jealouſy; ſo as even " they that were moſt tender over their Wives, " were forced to beat them once or twice a Week, " to pleaſe them, and give them ſome Aſſurance " of their Love; and by this Means all Jars were " ended." [*The much wiſer Britiſh Ladies, chooſe to be* pleas'd *other Ways.*]

Extract of a Letter from Ratiſbon, July 23.

" It hath been remarked here, with ſome Surprize, that the Ruſſian Miniſter keeps up as great an Intimacy with the Auſtrian Miniſter, as if the two Courts were on the beſt Terms; on the other Hand the Hanoverian and Pruſſian Miniſters have privately ſignified their Diſpleaſure that the Ruſſian Miniſter is ſo reſerved to them.

" The Swediſh Miniſter is ſoon to preſent the Dyet of the Empire a Declaration of his Court touching the Peace concluded with the King of Pruſſia. It is perceived that France has ſuggeſted this Step with a View to juſtify the Part ſhe hath been forced to act; and to inſinuate that ſhe can no longer take Part in the Army of the Empire. As to the reſt, this will enable the oppoſite Party to give a new Interpretation to the Syſtem of the Empire's Guaranty, under Favour of which the French Troops entered the Empire at the Beginning of this War: This Syſtem hath indeed changed, for the Court of France now conſiders the Hanoverian Army as an Army acting for the Intereſt of England. On the other Hand, the French Troops that invaded the King of Pruſſia's Dominions in the Country of Cleves, did it rather for the Account of the Court of Vienna, than for the Account of France, though the French had a Share in the Contributions that were raiſed; but this was in Conſequence of an Agreement between the two Courts, which, it is foreſeen, will occaſion ſuch Diſputes as the Court of Vienna will not be fond of publiſhing."

Auguſt 2. The Intemperance of his Cherokee Majeſty and his Chiefs, and the ſelfiſh Views of the Proprietors of our Public Gardens, in ſo plentifully Treating them with Strong Liquors, give Occaſion to the Conſiderate, ſincerely to wiſh them ſafely ſhipped off for their own Country. At Vauxhall, on Thurſday laſt, it is ſuppoſed that not leſs than Ten Thouſand Perſons crowded thither to obtain a Sight of theſe Indians; at the ſame Time, a Songſtreſs of the Grove attempted the Honour of traverſing the Walks with the Swarthy Monarch dangling on her Arm; but the Preſs was ſo great, as to oblige him to retire, with his Chief (and many Ladies of the Town) into the Orcheſtra; where they entertained themſelves and the gaping Multitude, by ſounding the Keys of the Organ, ſcraping upon the Strings of a Violin, clapping their Hands in Return for the Claps of Applauſe beſtowed upon them, and ſwallowing, by Wholeſale, Bumpers of Frontiniac. Between Two and Three in the Morning, their Cherokeeſhips began to think of departing, and, being duly ſupported, made ſhift to reach their Coach for that Purpoſe. The Chief, who was in the beſt Plight, ſtepped in firſt, with his Friend, but the Garment of his Majeſty unluckily falling foul of a Gentleman's Sword-Hilt, in the Crowd, a ſort of Scuffle miſtakenly enſued, the Sword by ſome Accident was drawn, and broke, and the Indian's Hands in a pretty bloody Condition, were expoſed to the Spectators, with much ſeeming Remonſtrance and Complaint. He then threw himſelf in a Fit of Sullenneſs or Intoxication, or both, on the Ground, and obſtinately remained there for a conſiderable Time. Force however effected what Perſuaſion could not, for he was Neck and Heels lifted in, and laid along the Bottom of the Coach. Soon after, his Legs, which had obſtructed the Shutting the Door, being carefully packed up with the Reſt, the Coachman, by driving away, put an End to this wretched Scene of Britiſh Curioſity and Savage Debauchery.

Auguſt 24. There is a ſtrong Probability that we ſhall hear of a Peace within a Week or Two. The Terms are founded on the Plan propoſed by our Patriot Miniſter; ſo that if the French are ſincerely inclined to put an End to the War, the Preliminaries will be ſigned with all Speed.—The Duke of B-----d has received Orders to hold himſelf in Readineſs to ſet off for Paris.

Her Majeſty and the Prince of Wales are ſo well, that the Drums beat, and Muſic plays again, when Guard is relieved at St. James's.

The Emperor of Morocco has broke his Treaty of Peace with the King of Denmark.

The Plague rages at Conſtantinople: Two Fifths of the Inhabitants have been carried off.

We hear that ſeveral more Men of War will be ordered for the Eaſt-Indies, in order to attempt the Reduction of the reſt of the French Settlements in that Part of the World.

Yeſterday a Lame Duck, of one of the Tribes of Iſrael, waddled off from Exchange-Alley, as it is ſaid, for a Difference of about 30,000 l.—This Day alſo another Lame Duck is gone off, having been crippled in the ſame Place.

Auguſt 25. This Week a great Number of Quarter-Guineas will be delivered from the Mint into the Bank of England.

They write from Berlin of the 10th Inſt. that they had an Account from Stargard, that the Ruſſian General de Berg, with his Body of Troops, that hath been there, and in that Neighbourhood, for ſome Time, marched from thence the 6th Inſt. by way of Zachau and Calies, into Poland.

There are three French Frigates of 36, 40 and 44 Guns, cruiſing up the Levant, to convoy their Trade from Alexandria and Smyrna. A Gentleman in the Britiſh Factory at Grand Cairo writes, that the French have had about 40 Ships this Year at Alexandria, though that is not Half the Number they formerly had.

The Palmtree, Holm, a Dane, from London to Venice, is taken by the Spaniards, and carried into Tariffa. This is the Ship that had on board the Baggage and Equipages of the Earl of Northampton, his Majeſty's Ambaſſador to the Republic of Venice.

By a late Account of the Captures made by the French on the Britiſh Subjects, it appears, that from January 1761, to the preſent Time, they have taken 812 Ships in all, among which are 60 from Virginia, 51 from Newfoundland, 36 from Carolina, and 231 from Jamaica

It is ſaid the Spaniards are returning from Portugal for Want of Subſiſtence, and that upwards of 4000 of them have deſerted, who received Half a Guinea a Man of the War-Office in Portugal.

Some Perſons have been taken into Cuſtody, for Selling and Singing about the Streets, a certain impudent Song, lately publiſhed.

It is ſaid that his Royal Highneſs the Prince will be Baptized by the Name of GEORGE FREDERICK AUGUSTUS, and that their Royal Highneſſes the Dukes of Cumberland and York will be Sponſors; but the latter, it is ſaid by ſome, is to ſtand only as a Proxy for the King of Pruſſia, at the earneſt Requeſt of that Monarch.

The Crowd of Ladies that flock to Court every Day to ſee the Royal Infant, and taſte of her Majeſty's Caudle and Cake, is, as may be ſuppoſed, innumerable. It is reported, that the daily Expence for Coffee amounts to upwards of 40 l. The Conſumption of Wine upon the joyful Occaſion is more than can eaſily be conceived.

Extract of a Letter from on board one of the Ships which took the Hermione.

"——There was all the Reaſon in the World to ſuſpect the Spaniards had ſomething more than Linen and Woollen about them; accordingly by a Search, which was made without any Rudeneſs or Inſult, no inconſiderable Sum was found very artfully concealed in ſeveral Parts of their Apparel.—There was a Prieſt of a very mortified Aſpect, and who, in Accents no leſs mortified, begged he might be permitted to take with him two or three of his devotional Books; for about all other Things he was very indifferent. No Difficulty was made of this; but the Curioſity of a petty Officer prompting him to look into one of the Books, he found it very weighty, on which ſtriking a Knife into the Cover, it pierced only the Leather, which being ripped off, behold a bright Exhibition of Quadruples, or Four Piſtole Pieces, inlaid in every Side of the Paſteboard! The Book, ſtripped of its Cover, was given to the Prieſt, with this Compliment, *That about the Cover he was, to be ſure, very indifferent, and now the Book would be of lighter Carriage to him.* The Cover is kept as a Curioſity."

The King of Pruſſia, moved by the extreme Neceſſity of his Subjects in Pomerania, has cauſed Corn to be bought at Dantzick to the Value of 100,000 Crowns for their Relief. But notwithſtanding this bountiful Gift of the King, the Diſtreſs of this Province exceeds all Deſcription, as appears by a Letter lately received from an eminent Clergyman at Stettin, dated July 15, who on his Journey to Colberg, found upwards of ſeven Villages laid in Aſhes, and others ſo ruined, that no living Creature was to be ſeen in them, but Skeletons of People periſhed with Hunger, and gnawed by wild Beaſts. In two Villages near Colberg, which he paſſed through, the Inhabitants ſurrounded his Coach, begging for a Bit of Bread, aſſuring him they had not ſeen a Piece of Bread for five Days.

A Tradeſman in the City, having taken a Wife, and living upon very ill Terms with her, they agreed to part, and the Wife retired into the Country, where ſhe was introduced as a Widow, to be Houſekeeper to a Perſon of Fortune. The Gentleman ſoon after conceived a great liking for her, would fain have married her; but being informed that a Huſband ſtood in the Way, they (*for, it ſeems, ſhe* conceived *a Liking to him too*) agreed to take each other's Word. The Gentleman in a few Years died, leaving his Fortune to his beloved Houſekeeper; who ſurviving him but a ſhort Time, it deſcended to a Daughter, the Fruit of their Embraces. The Girl then falling into the Direction of a Friend, who was a Stranger to the Mother's Marriage, and being brought up to Town to finiſh her Education, the Tradeſman by Accident became acquainted with her, was ſmitten, paid his Addreſs, and married her. Some Months after, having Occaſion to look over her Papers, to his great Surprize he found there ſeveral Letters in his Wife's Hand-writing, which he knew he had reſtored her at their Separation. This introduced an Inquiry, the Upſhot of which was, that he found he was married to his Daughter in Law; which ſo afflicted him, that he took to his Bed, and is ſince dead. The Daughter however, being the innocent, though unfortunate Inſtrument of his Unhappineſs, he took Care to remember in his Will; and the Addition this made to her Fortune, as well as a handſome Jointure ſettled upon her at firſt, ſhe is now become one of the wealthieſt Widows about this Metropolis.

The following is the Copy of a Letter, which was really Written by an honeſt Fellow who has the Care of ſome French Priſoners, and intended to have been ſent to the King of France, but it was ſtopped before it was put into the Poſt Houſe. As it contains good Senſe, intermixed with much Oddity, it may perhaps oblige the Readers, by publiſhing it.

To MONSHIEUR ROY,

The King at France.

Monſhieur Roy,

I THOUGHT I would write to you about what has happened at Newfoundland, and let you know how fooliſh your People behaved.——Lord help their Silly Heads. Why the landing of Men there, is only making us a Preſent of ſo many Priſoners, for you will never get them off any more, whatever may be the Fate of the Ships that landed them.—Do you think I would drive my Oxen or my Aſſes into my Neighbour's Field of Corn, if I knew I could not get them away again? What Nonſenſe!

The only Miſchief, indeed, your Commanders can do us, is by ſending more of their Countrymen to be maintained here, for we have too many already.—The Priſons are all full of them, and the Weather is hot, therefore keep your Folks at Home, I beſeech you, and not make thoſe we have in our Goals more unhappy, by being more crowded.

Your Fleets and your Armies were never ſo terrible to us as the Cock-lane Ghoſt, and both the one and the other are laughed at. That Phantom was laid laſt Week, and your Phantoms will vaniſh ſoon, or be laid in the Sea, if not in the Red Sea. So no more at preſent; from, Monſhieur.

Your's, &c. &c. &c.

BOSTON, *November* 1.

Extract of a Letter from Liſbon, September 16, 1762.

" Almeida ſurrendered the 25th ult. which opens the Province of Beira to the Enemy's Depredations, being a Part of the Country which gave the greateſt Expence of Fiſh; however, as they muſt eat, I hope Means may be found for a Conſumption. We were in great Pain for Pato and Coimbra, on Almeida's being taken; had the Spaniards been alert, they might certainly have proceeded thither; but we are now told the Paſſes are ſo ſecure, that they are in no immediate Danger. I wiſh it may prove ſo, and the Enemy may not be able to force them."

WILLIAMSBURG.

☞ *The* PUBLIC *is deſired to beware of Counterfeit* Forty Shilling, Ten Shilling, *and* Two *and* Sixpenny *Bills: The* Forty Shilling *Bills are dated* March 11, MDCCIX, *inſtead of* MDCCLX, *and are very neatly done; the* Ten Shilling *Ones are but indifferently executed; but thoſe of* Two *and* Sixpence *are ſo extremely well done, that without the narroweſt Inſpection, they will paſs undiſcovered: The Stars over the Words* Two Shillings *and are ſomewhat uneven, being much nearer the Word* Two *than the Word* and, *but in the genuine Bills they are exactly even; the Printing alſo in this laſt-mentioned Bill is thought to be ſomething ſmaller, than that of the true One.*

PHILADELPHIA, *November* 4.

On Monday laſt arrived here, the Ship Carolina, Captain Friend, with whom came Paſſenger BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, Eſq; late Agent for this Province, in London. On his Arrival, he was waited on by all Ranks of People, to congratulate him on his ſafe Return to the Province, his Family and Friends; from whom, he received the higheſt Marks of Eſteem and Reſpect, and the fulleſt Demonſtration of the high Senſe, they entertained, as well of his upright diſintereſted Conduct, in the important Truſt committed to his Care, by the Aſſembly of this Government, as of his ſteady Attention to the Intereſt of the Colonies in general, during his Reſidence in Great-Britain.

ANNAPOLIS, *November* 18.

On Monday the 8th Inſtant, his Majeſty's Ship *Goſport*, Capt. *Jervis*, ſail'd from *Virginia*, with a very conſiderable Fleet, but we can't learn how many, under his Convoy: It is ſaid near Eighty.

A few Days ago the Ship *Fair Lilly*, Captain *Morriſon*, arrived in *Patowmack*, in ſix Weeks from *Glaſgow*; and we hear has brought Papers to the 11th of *September*, but we have not been ſo lucky as to ſee any of them yet. She ſail'd out of *Patowmack* laſt *July*, and left ſome Loaded Ships below waiting for Convoy, which ſhe found there on her return.

By Private Letters from *Glaſgow*, we learn, that a PEACE was juſt at Hand, the Duke *De Nevernois* from *France* was arrived in *England*, and his Grace the Duke of *Bedford* gone over to the Court of *France*; and Monſieur *De Buſſy*, was likewiſe gone from *France* to *Madrid*, ſuppoſed on the ſame Subject.

We have a certain Account, of the *Robina*, Capt. *White*, from this Place, being taken by the *Aurora* Privateer, and carried into *Bayonne*.

A Privateer, ſaid to be the ſame which took Mr. *Glaſſell*, and Others, in the Schooner *Peggy*, laſt *July*, has lately taken off from *Cape-Charles*, 14 Negroes, and likewiſe taken a *New-England* Veſſel bound in to *Virginia*.

Laſt Monday arrived here from *Briſtol*, the Ship *Betſey*, Capt. *Nicholas Andrew*, (having had a Nine Weeks Paſſage,) with 79 *Paſſengers of NOTE*, who are deſtin'd to tarry in his Majeſty's *American* Plantations for the term of Seven Years.

In the late Snow Storm, the ſixth Inſtant, Mr. *Matthew Travers*, a young Man of *Dorcheſter* County, Skipper of a Bay Schooner, then in *Wanticoke* River, being very weakly Mann'd, went out on the Bowſprit, and accidentally fell off and was Drowned.

The latter End of laſt Month, the Sloop *Young Speedwell*, *Thomas Budd*, Maſter, belonging to *New-Providence*, and bound to *Philadelphia*, with Sugar, Indigo and Fruit, was caſt away on *Wreck-Iſland* in *Northampton* County, *Virginia*, and the Cargo all loſt.

The following is taken from an Engliſh *Print, juſt come to Hand.*

"LONDON, *Sept.* 9. Laſt Night his Royal Highneſs the Prince was Baptized in the Royal Apartments at St. James's, by his Grace the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury, by the Names of GEORGE-FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS: The Sponſors were the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, the Duke of Cumberland, and the Duke of Mecklenberg.

"On Monday Night Mr. Dick, one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, was ſent after his Grace the Duke of Bedford, with Diſpatches of Importance."

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *Abel Akree*, living on the upper Part of *Elk-Ridge*, near Mr. *Greenbury Ridgely*'s, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Dark Bay Horſe, about 11½ Hands high, with hind Feet white, and a Split in his off hind Foot, branded on the near Buttock thus ①

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Charles Greenbury Ridgely*, near Mr. *Snowden*'s Ironworks, a ſmall Dark Brown Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, and a ſmall Snip on her Noſe, branded on the near Shoulder with ſomething like a Diamond and a Stroke through it.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Edmund Talbot*, living at *Patapſco* Neck, *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Black Mare, no diſtinguiſhable Brand or Mark, except ſome Saddle Spots on her Back.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Subſcriber, by Bond, Note of Hand, or Open Account, are deſired to make immediate Payment of their reſpective Debts. And as by my Lenity, many have been due, and others, not fully ſettled, many Years, I muſt inſiſt that they now comply with this Demand: But ſuch as cannot at this Time make Payment for their open Accounts, may at leaſt give their Notes or Bonds; that I may leave my Attorney in Fact, as little Trouble as poſſible, as I intend for *Great Britain* early in the Spring. Thoſe who omit to comply with this Requeſt, may expect immediately to be ſued without Exception. And all thoſe who have Accounts againſt me, are deſired to bring them in, that they may be adjuſted and paid.

1 ROBERT SWAN.

Having lately Removed my Store from Church-ſtreet, *to the South-weſt Side of the Dock, commonly called* CARROLL'S WHARF, *I have for Sale,*

SUNDRY Sorts of *DRY GOODS*, conſiſting chiefly of Broad Cloths, Half-thicks, Negro Cottons, China, Cutlery, Linen Handkerchiefs, ſpotted Gauze, Muſlins, &c. Alſo Three or Four likely Negro Girls, from 12 to 16 Years of Age. Rum, Sugar, and choice old *Liſbon* Wine, &c. &c. For Terms and Price, apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *William Hawker*, living near the *Lower Falls*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Iron Grey Mare, branded on the near Buttock, but imperfect, her two hind Feet White, a Star in her Forehead, and ſeems to be 5 or 6 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. 1 mo 5/9.

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2 *Annapolis, November* 10, 1762.

WHEREAS ſeveral of the Officers and Men who compoſed the *Maryland* Troops, did not in *July* laſt (when Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy*, and Dr. *David Roſs* attended at *Annapolis* and *Queen's-Town*, to pay away the Money, which in Purſuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir *Jeffery Amherſt*, had been advanced to Lieut. Colonel *Dagworthy* for that Purpoſe) either perſonally appear, or by others apply for the Arrears of Pay due to them reſpectively; Notice is hereby given, that Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy* and *David Roſs* will attend again at *Annapolis*, the Third Monday in *February* next, in order to ſettle Accounts with, and pay the Arrears due to ſuch Perſons as ſhall then apply to them, or ſend proper Powers to ſettle and receive what may be due to them reſpectively: And thoſe who cannot attend themſelves, are deſired to have the Powers they give to others, to receive what may be due to them, regularly atteſted, and it is expected that thoſe who ſhall apply for what is due to the Eſtates of ſuch as are dead, will previouſly take out Letters of Adminiſtration in the Counties where it is moſt convenient for them to give Security.

Juſt Imported from London, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at the Store of* Charles Wallace *and Company, in* Church-ſtreet, Annapolis,

ONE Pair of very fine Garnet Earings, curiouſly ſet in Gold, neat Tortoiſe Shell and Pearl Toothpick-Caſes with Gold Bezils, Variety of Seals ſet in Gold, Gold Thimbles, Tortoiſe Shell Snuff Boxes with Gold Rims, neat Paper ditto lined with Tortoiſe Shell, Stone Sleeve Buttons ſet in Silver, Variety of Stone Broches neatly ſet in Silver for Free Maſons and others, Stone Stock Buckles, Silver Soup Spoons, Ivory handled carving Knives and Forks with Silver Ferrits, neat Cork Screws, &c. &c.

2 GEORGE CLARKE.

To be SOLD by the Subſcribers, at private or public Sale, on the Premiſſes, the 12*th of* December *next,*

A Valuable Tract of Land, whereon *Mordecai Moore* formerly dwelt, lying in *Anne-Arundel* County, near *London-Town*, containing about 800 Acres, pleaſantly ſituated, and of a good Soil, ſome Parts thereof ſuitable for Meadow, others well Wooded, and the Title indiſputable.—The Whole will be diſpoſed together, or divided in ſuch Manner as may beſt ſuit the Purchaſers, for Bills of Exchange, or *Pennſylvania* Currency, one Half to be paid on the Day of Sale, and the Remainder within 12 Months, paying Intereſt, and giving Security if required, by

2 THOMAS MOORE, *and* CHARLES MOORE.

Queen-Anne's County, *Nov.* 16, 1762.

IN Company with ſome Gentlemen, in the Time of the laſt Provincial Court, it was mentioned, that Mr. *Hamilton* intended to Start his Horſe, *Dove*, for the *Marlborough* Purſe, which was run for, the 19th of laſt Month. I took the Freedom then to ſay, I had but an indifferent Opinion of his Abilities, as a Race-Horſe, I alſo made mention of *Dove*'s being beat at *Newcaſtle* upon *Tyne*, by ſome of thoſe very Horſes, Mr. *Hamilton* in his Advertiſement, publiſhed in the *Maryland* Gazette, N°. 887, ſaid he Beat; This, and I am apt to believe more, was told to Mr. *Hamilton* again, and which, it is more than probable, give Riſe to the Poſtſcript of another Advertiſement of his, publiſhed in the ſame Paper, N°. 911, and as it contains Scurrility, I am not in the leaſt conſcious of deſerving, nor ſhould have taken to myſelf, if I had not been well informed, that it was deſigned for me, I muſt beg Leave therefore, by Favour of your Gazette, to give it an Anſwer.—Mr. *Hamilton* in his Advertiſement, publiſhed in the *Maryland* Gazette, N°. 887, ſays, "His Horſe run at "*Newcaſtle* upon *Tyne*, upon the 21ſt of *October* "1760, and Beat and Diſtanced the following "Horſes, *viz.* Diſtanced the Duke of *Cleveland*'s "Roan Filly, *Roxana*, beat the Bay Colt *Swift*, "belonging to *William Swinburn*, Eſq; *Charles* "*Wilſon*'s Bay Colt, *Windleſs*, *William Cornforth*'s "Bay Colt *Montreal*, and *Setlington*'s Bay Filly "*Nameleſs*." Oppoſed to which Advertiſement, I ſhall give the following Extract from Mr. *Reginald Heber*'s 10th Vol. of Horſe Races, &c. run in *Great-Britain* and *Ireland*, in the Year 1760, from Page 81. "*Newcaſtle* upon *Tyne*. *Northumberland*, on the 21ſt of *October* 1760, £. 50 was "run for by 4 Years Old, Weight 9 Stone, two "Miles Heat and Won by

	H.1	H.2
" Mr. *Dalton*'s Br. Filly — —	1	1
" Mr. *Swinburn*'s Bay Colt ——	4	2
" Mr. *Cornforth*'s Bay Colt, *Montreal*	5	3
" Mr. *Jackſon*'s Gr. Colt, *Dove* —	2	4
" Mr. *Wilſon*'s Bay Colt, *Windleſs*	3	5
" D. of *Cleveland*'s Roan Filly, *Roxana*	dif.	
" Mr. *Setlington*'s Br. Filly —	dif	

Thus ſtands the Race in ſaid Book, and when compared with Mr. *Hamilton*'s Advertiſement, can it be ſaid by any Perſon (without bluſhing) that Mr. *Jackſon*'s (now Mr. *Hamilton*'s) Horſe *Dove*, beat Mr. *Swinburn*'s, or Mr. *Cornforth*'s Bay Colt? Does it not clearly appear from the Order of the above Liſt, that he was the worſt of the 4 Horſes firſt mentioned? Will Mr. *Hamilton* be ſo hardy as to contend, becauſe *Dove* was ſecond Horſe the firſt Heat, and only fourth the ſecond, that he was better for the Purſe than thoſe Horſes that beat him the ſecond Heat? Surely he will not: Then how ſtands Mr. *Hamilton*'s Conduct reſpecting the Public? Why, it is clear that he intended nothing more than to *Jockey a little*; however, it is my Opinion, that no Man can make an Attempt of that Kind, without having *Infernality* in his Nature. I never mentioned, nor do I know any Thing of *Dove*'s Pedigree, as Mr. *Heber* in his Book does not give the Pedigree of any Horſe, that never won a Plate, or Match.

P. S. The above Book is lodged with the Printers hereof, and is to continue with them for a Month, from the Date hereof, that any Gentleman, who inclines, may have an Opportunity of comparing the above Extract with the Original.

J. NICHOLSON, *junior.*

To be SOLD to the Higheſt Bidder, at the Dwelling-Houſe of the Subſcriber, on Monday the 29*th Day of* November *Inſt. if fair, if not, the next fair Day, for Sterling,* Maryland *Currency, or Bills of Exchange,*

A Parcel of NEGROES, conſiſting of MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN. Alſo HORSES, MARES and COLTS.

SAMUEL LANE, *Son of* RICHARD.

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The *Maryland* ALMANACK, for the Year 1763,

CONTAINING *every* Thing neceſſary, and *many* uſeful and diverting.

Likewiſe,

ALMANACKS Interleaved with fine Writing Paper. Price, *ONE SHILLING.*

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, for Sterling Caſh, or Current Money, on the laſt Day of November,

PART of a Tract of Land called *Bachelor's Foreſt*, lying in *Frederick* County, containing 342 Acres, well Timbered and Watered, and ſome good Meadow Ground, whereon is two Tenements, 100 Acres each; the ſaid Land lying about 15 Miles from *Bladenſburg*, on the Main Road leading from thence to *Frederick-Town*, and about the ſame Diſtance from *George-Town*. The Sale to be on the Premiſſes, and the Title indiſputable. 2

BENJAMIN BEALL.

Baltimore, Oct. 26, 1762.

STRAYED or Stolen, on the 23d of *September*, from the *White Grounds*, a large Bay Roan Mare, about 7 Years old, and about 15 Hands high, has no Mark nor Brand that is remembered, Paces well, and Trots a little out of Hand, is ſhod before, and had on an old Bell, ſcratched upon it, *W. Ottey*.—Alſo, Stolen or Strayed out of the Paſture at *Iſingglaſs*, on Sunday Night the 24th Inſtant, a Grey Horſe, full aged, has no Brand that is remembered, his Mane has been lately thinned on the Underſide, his Tale long, is about 14 Hands high, ſhod before, is poor in Condition, and is uſed to draw. 2

Whoever will give Notice, or bring them to the Subſcriber in *Baltimore-Town*, or to his Plantation on the *White Grounds*, ſhall have for the Mare, Twenty Shillings, and for the Horſe, Ten Shillings, with reaſonable Charges paid by

WILLIAM OTTEY.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Alexander Warfield*, near the Head of *Severn*, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Grey Mare, branded on the near Buttock, but too imperfect to be deſcribed. ✕ 2

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Port-Tobacco, Charles County, *Oct.* 26, 1762.

ANY Maſter or Owner of a VESSEL, that wants Freight to *Glaſgow*, for about 300 Hogſheads of Tobacco, may be ſupplied upon reaſonable Terms, by applying to 2

WALTER HANSON.

Warwick, October 25, 1762.

FORTY DOLLARS REWARD.

MADE his Eſcape, laſt Night, from the Sheriff of *Cæcil* County, a certain JOSEPH CARTWRITE, aged 22 Years, of middle Stature, has a down Look, darkiſh Hair, ſandy Beard, ſwarthy Complexion, and is very fond of ſtrong Liquor: Had on when he went away, a half-worn Caſtor Hat, light mixed Broadcloth Coat, trimmed with white flat Metal Buttons, a black Veſt, blue knit Pattern Breeches, Check Shirt, blue-grey Worſted Hoſe, and new Shoes. He went away in Company with an Apprentice Lad belonging to *William Murdo*, aged about 20 Years, by Trade a Shoemaker, is of a ruddy Complexion, has black Hair, heſitates a little in his Utterance: He had on, or with him, when he went away, a coarſe blue Veſt, and white Swanſkin under One, half-worn Hat, Check Shirt, Leather Breeches, and half-worn Pumps. It is ſuppoſed they ſtole Horſes, as a ſmall dark brown One, about 11 Years old, and hath lately been hurt by the Saddle, is miſſing. Whoever takes up and ſecures the above Runaways in any Goal, and ſecures ſaid Horſe, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have for *Cartwrite* Eight Pounds; for the Apprentice, named *Leonard*, Five Pounds; and Forty Shillings for the Horſe, and reaſonable Charges, paid by ✕

JAMES BAXTER, Sheriff,
WILLIAM MURDO, and
DANIEL JACKSON.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed they intend to go a Privateering: All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to harbour or carry them off at their Peril.

TO BE SOLD,

A Servant Man, who is a Barber and Peruke-Maker, and has above FOUR YEARS to ſerve. Enquire of *Robert Johnſon*, at Mr. *Ward's* Store, at the Head of the Dock in *Annapolis*. 3

ANY young Man, of a good Character, and ſteady Conduct, qualified for a CLERK, who wants Employ, may hear of a good Birth, by enquiring at the PRINTING-OFFICE. ✕ 4

Alexandria, October 28, 1762.

The SHIP *HICKS*,

JOHN SMITH, COMMANDER:

Burthen Two Hundred Tons, and upwards, well Manned and fitted with Guns, *&c.* is daily expected round from *New-York* to *Alexandria*.—Any Perſon that wants ſuch a Ship to Charter for any Port in *Great-Britain*, may have her on reaſonable Terms, by applying to the Maſter, or

CARLYLE and DALTON.

NEGRO PETER

RAN away from *Buſh River* Furnace, in *Baltimore* County, and is imagined he will make to the back Parts of *Pennſylvania*, as he was ſeen on the Road leading from *Buſh River* to *York-Town*: Had with him, on the 15th inſtant *October*, a ſmall Grey Gelding; and had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, Fearnought Jacket, a Pair of large Tarr'd Trowſers, a white Shirt, and a Pair of coarſe Shoes; he is about 6 Feet high, very black, and talks good *Engliſh*, and will almoſt deceive any one by his crafty Lies; he has lately had the Rheumatiſm, which has affected his Arms and Legs.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Negro, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have Five Pounds Reward by 4

ISAAC WEBSTER.

✕ 4 *Bohemia, September* 23, 1762.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raiſing *One Hundred and Fifty Pounds*, to be applied toward purchaſing a LIBRARY, to be kept at *Bohemia*, for the Uſe of the Public, according to the Cuſtom of Public Libraries; It is humbly preſumed, that an Undertaking of this Sort, though ſmall, will not be one of the moſt trivial in its Conſequences, that has met with Encouragement; and as it muſt be acknowledged by all, who underſtand the Nature of Public Libraries, to be of very great Advantage to the Inhabitants of any Place, where they may acquire uſeful Learning and Knowledge by reading of many BOOKS, at a very ſmall Expence; it is hoped, that this laudable and uſeful Undertaking, will meet with Encouragement from all Lovers of *Chriſtian* Society, eſpecially ſeeing the Adventurers can be no great Loſers, there being NO BLANKS, and it will by no Means be confined only to themſelves, but be of as general Utility as ſome large Lotteries that have been encouraged.

Number of Prizes.		Value of each.		Total Value.
1	of	£.50	is	£.50
1	of	30	is	30
2	of	15	are	30
6	of	5	are	30
10	of	3	are	30
30	of	2	are	60
100	of	1	are	100
400	of	0 15	are	300
1450	of	0 5	are	362 10
	First 5*ſ.* drawn,			2
	Laſt 5*ſ.* drawn,			2
	Laſt 5*ſ.* drawn before the		£.50	1 15
	Firſt 5*ſ.* drawn after the		50	1 15
2000	Tickets at 10*ſ.* each, are			£.1000

The Deduction at 15 *per Cent.* The Drawing to begin on *Monday* the 27th Day of *December* next, or ſooner, if full, at *Bohemia*, under the Care and Directions of the Managers, *viz.* Meſſrs. *Benjamin Moody*, *John Veazey*, junior, *Richard Thompſon*, junior, Dr. *James Bayard*, and *John Neide*, who are to give Bond and be on Oath for the faithful Performance of their Truſt. As ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed, the Prizes will be punctually publiſhed in the *Maryland* and *Wilmington* GAZETTES, and the Value of them paid to the Poſſeſſors. Tickets are now ſelling by the Managers at their reſpective Dwellings; and by Mr. *Emory Sudler*, Merchant on *Kent-Iſland*; Mr. *Aquila Paca*, Merchant at *Buſh-Town*; Mr. *Thomas Williams*, Merchant at *Frederick-Town*; and at the *Printing-Office* in *Annapolis*.

Alexandria, November 1, 1762.

TO be Sold very reaſonably, an *Engliſh* Cheſnut Filly, bred by *John Holme*, Eſq; ſhe has a Blaze down her Face, and both Legs behind white, 5 Years this Graſs, was got by *Old Rock*, her Dam by *Snake*, her Grandam by *Partner*, ſhe was the Dam of *Slider*. *Old Rock* was got by *Forreſter*, Sire of *Guſtavus*, his Dam by *Slipby*, which was own Brother to *Snap's* Dam, and out of *Menil*, the Dam of *Trunnion*.

SEVENTY POUNDS REWARD.

DESERTED from the Subſcriber, the following Recruits belonging to the *Virginia* Regiment:

Robert Davis, from *Annapolis*, it is ſaid his real Name is *John South*, he is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, a very proud Fellow, and ſerved his Time with Mr. *Snowden*.

Alexander M'Farling, from *Pamunkey* Creek in *Charles* County, about five Feet ſix Inches high, an aſſuming forward Fellow, battle-hammed, has very little Hair on his Head, and talks much of having been a Soldier at the *Great Meadows* with Colonel *Waſhington*.

John Daly, from *Portobacco*, about five Feet eight Inches high, born in *St. Mary's* County, *Maryland*; has a broad Face, hazle Eyes, and a brown ſhock Head of Hair, is a Sailor, and a very clumſey Fellow.

John Barry, from *Alexandria*, in *Virginia*, about five Feet 7 Inches high, a thick clumſey Fellow, was ſeen to croſs over to *Maryland* with his Wife.

John Fitzpatrick, from *Weſtmoreland* County, *Virginia*, about five Feet five Inches and a Half high, born in *Dublin*, he was a Soldier in my Company in 1758, and is often braging of his Courage; he is a Gardiner and Ditcher by Trade, and having the Character of an honeſt Man, was intruſted with Caſh to enliſt others with.

Jonathan Dow from *Prince-George's* County, *Maryland*, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, a very likely young Fellow, of a fair Complexion, and has long Hair, and takes a great Deal of Pains with it; his Friends live in *Carliſle*, *Virginia*, it is likely he made that Way.

John Sanſbury, from *Prince-George* County, is a Taylor, five Feet nine Inches high, has a down Look, talks much, is an aſſuming forward Fellow, and has a Silver laced Hat on, which he bought with Part of his Bounty Money.

John Flent, from *St. Mary's* County, *Maryland*, five Feet 4 Inches high, Joiner by Trade, a thick well ſet Man, of a dark Complexion, has a ſhort ſhock Head of Hair, and has a Caſt in his left Eye and Stutters.

Elijah Daniel, from *Alexandria*, five Feet ten Inches high, a thin Viſage, and has a down Look; he enliſted in *Kent* County, in *Newtown* on the *Eaſtern Shore*.

John Haſwell, from *Weſtmoreland*, about 5 Feet 6 Inches and a Half high, thin Viſage, a fair Complexion, and polite behaviour; had on a blue Coat, ſtriped Jacket, red Breeches, old Shoes and Hat.

Whoever will bring *Davis*, *M'Farling*, *Daly*, and *Fitzpatrick*, to the Camp at *Fredericksburg*, in *Spotſylvania*, or ſecures them ſo that I can get them, ſhall receive Ten Pounds Reward for each, and reaſonable Expences. And for the other Six, Five Pounds for each, and all reaſonable Expences, paid by JOHN POSEY.

When any of the above Deſerters are apprehended and committed to any Goal, the Sheriffs are deſired to give Notice, by advertiſing in the *Maryland Gazette*, which Expence I will repay them: Some have lain in Priſon for Two Months, by Means of my not having Notice of their being taken.

N. B. All Perſons are forewarned againſt entertaining either of the above Deſerters at their Peril. *J. P.*

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND containing 1580 Acres, about 14 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, on the main Road leading from thence to *Frederick* County, and convenient to a Merchant Mill.

For Title and Terms apply to ALEXANDER LAWSON, in *Baltimore-Town*.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the Houſe of John Scott *in* Upper-Marlborough, *on Wedneſday the 24th of* November *laſt at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling* Maryland *Currency, or Bills of Exchange,*

A TRACT of LAND, called *Greenland*, containing Two Hundred and Eighty-ſeven Acres; the Land is valuable and has ſeveral Improvements upon it, in good Order. It formerly belonged to Mr. *Richard Keene*, and produces as fine Tobacco as is made in the Country.

The Title is indiſputable. FRANCIS HANCE.

N. B. There is a choice Piece of Meadow Land, and more may be made.

WANTED,

A CURATE for *Dorcheſter* Pariſh, in *Dorcheſter* County. Any Clergyman of the Church of *England*, that can be well recommended, will be employed by the Veſtry, who has an Aſſignment of Fourteen Thouſand Pounds of Tobacco yearly, to be paid as collected by the Sheriff, for his Support. Signed *per* Order,

ROGER JONES, Regiſter.

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